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STATEMENT OF ROBERT E. LEININGER

I am an attorney in the Office of Regional Counsel, Region V, and have been the lead Agency attorney on the Reilly Tar case since October 1979. From July 26, 1981 through July 25, 1982, Mr. Robert Polack did not, to my knowledge, attend or participate in any internal meetings held by the Reilly Tar litigation team (including meetings with the Department of Justice and the State of Minnesota). Further, during that time period, Mr. Polack did not attend or participate in any negotiation session or other meeting held with the defendants in U.S. v. Reilly Tar.

  
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